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Prof. Joshua Lederberg  
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Dear Joshua,

thank you very much for your  
letter of May 7.

Could you <sup>put forward a petition</sup> ~~apply~~ for a visa H-1  
on my behalf? I would be grateful if you could  
consider my coming on a basis of a visiting  
professorship, as happened before.

I think our examinations system  
is such that it will be difficult for Matthew  
to come before July 20, in <sup>any</sup> ~~any~~ of the following  
years. So we think to take him with us this  
year, also because he is rather excited about  
it.

Still nothing new on our future  
relationships with Schering or Lepetit: but I  
assume the likelihood of an extension is now  
extremely small. I am not sure I mentioned to  
you that Dr. Weaver, the man in charge of the  
research at Schering, was fired in February  
and this has caused a considerable delay in  
every action. The buying of Lepetit by Dow is  
not yet completed.

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We are looking forward to coming to Stanford. It was very sad to hear about Dave Bonner. I think he was lucky if he had a quick death.

Yours

*Luca*

L.L. Cavalli-Sforza